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MEMORANDUM TO SUPERINTENDENTS NO. 2012-180

TO: School District Superintendents
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DATE: December 17, 2012

SUBJECT: 2013-2014 Distance Education Grant (DEG) Release

INFORMATION TO SHARE - TIME SENSITIVE MATERIAL PLEASE NOTE APPLICATION DEADLINE

For the purpose of developing and maintaining distance education programs, the Wyoming Department of Education is releasing the 2013-2014 Distance Education Grant Request for Proposals in accordance with Section 503 of the 2008 Enrolled Act No. 45. **Applications are due to the Wyoming Department of Education (WDE) by midnight March 1, 2013.** After reviewing and scoring the applications, funds will be awarded to the successful applicants by April 5, 2013. The attached DEG Request for Proposals can also be downloaded from:

<http://edu.wyoming.gov/Programs/grants.aspx>

For the 2013-2014 Distance Education Grant (DEG), approximately \$250,000.00 is available to public school districts, community colleges and the University of Wyoming for the development and maintenance of distance education programs offered through the Wyoming Switchboard Network (WSN). Funds will be awarded to individual grant sections with priority consideration given in the following order: Individual Course Design and Creation, Additional Content Design and Creation, Professional Development, Program Evaluation, Accreditation Requirements, and Maintenance and Operational Needs.

If you or your staff has questions, please contact Lachelle Brant at (307)777-3679 or via e-mail at lachelle.brant@wyo.gov or Scott Bullock at 307-777-7418 or via e-mail at scott.bullock@wyo.gov. Thank you for taking the time to pass this information along to your staff.

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